

H.R. 1720: Mr. FROST, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. WEINER, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.
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H.R. 1731: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. LARGENT, and Mr. THOMPSON of California.
H.R. 1732: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
H.R. 1750: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
H.R. 1791: Mrs. THURMAN.
H.R. 1827: Mr. CALVERT.
H.R. 1830: Mr. PASTOR.
H.R. 1840: Mr. IASAKSON.
H.R. 1841: Mr. MCGOVERN.
H.R. 1850: Mr. BORSKI.
H.R. 1886: Mr. SANDLIN.
H.R. 1885: Mr. BALDACCI.
H.R. 1887: Ms. PELSOL, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. SHERMAN.
H.R. 1907: Mr. DOOLEY of California.
H.R. 1912: Mr. WOLF.
H.R. 1929: Mr. GUTIERREZ.
H.R. 1932: Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. COOK, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.
H.R. 1976: Mr. KUYKENDALL.
H.R. 2004: Mr. SHOWS.
H.R. 2028: Mr. POMBO, Mr. PAUL, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. TERRY.
H.R. 2056: Mr. ENGLISH and Mr. CANNON.
H.R. 2124: Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. PAUL and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 2202: Mr. DINGELL, Mr. SANDERS and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.
H.R. 2204: Mr. KUCINICH.
H.R. 2221: Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. POMBO, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. MAZULLO and Mr. WHITEFIELD.
H.R. 2258: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.
H.R. 2260: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. UPTON.
H.R. 2282: Mr. CANADY of Florida and Ms. DANNER.
H.R. 2283: Mr. SHOWS.
H.R. 2306: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.
H.R. 2337: Ms. RIVERS.
H.R. 2386: Mr. CONYERS.
H.R. 2405: Mr. LEE and Mr. OWENS.
H.R. 2418: Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. FROST, Mr. BENTSEN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. KLECZKA.
H.R. 2419: Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. SUNUNU, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. METCALF.
H.R. 2436: Mr. BLILEY and Mr. SHOWS.
H.R. 2444: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.
H.R. 2456: Mr. GIBBONS.
H.R. 2470: Mr. HILLIARD.
H.R. 2488: Mr. CRANE, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. MCINNIS, and Mr. HILL of Montana.
H.R. 2499: Ms. KAPTUR.
H.J. Res. 41: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FORD, Mr. FROST, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HOFFEL, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. HORN, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. KIND, Mr. LAN-

TOS, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. LOPGREN, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. MILLENDER-McDONALD, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. MORELLA, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PASCARELL, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELÓ, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SABO, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SISISKY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. STARK, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. VENTO, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEXLER, and Ms. WOOLSEY.
H.J. Res. 46: Mr. SESSIONS.
H.J. Res. 55: Mr. CALVERT.
H. Con. Res. 57: Ms. ESHOO.
H. Con. Res. 62: Mr. GOODE, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. SABO, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. DUNCAN.
H. Con. Res. 79: Mr. BARTON of Texas and Mr. STEARNS.
H. Con. Res. 110: Mr. JENKINS, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mrs. WILSON, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. TIAHRT.
H. Con. Res. 124: Mr. RUSH and Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.
H. Con. Res. 134: Mr. RUSH and Mr. SANDLIN.
H. Con. Res. 146: Mr. ENGLISH.
H. Res. 208: Mr. OWENS.
H. Res. 214: Ms. DANNER and Mr. GILCHREST.

THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1999 (78)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

78.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, July 14, 1999.

Mr. GIBBONS, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, objected to the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question being put, viva voce,
Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. GIBBONS objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

The SPEAKER pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced that the vote would be postponed until later today.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

78.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XIV, were referred as follows:

3047. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank, transmitting notification of a transaction which involves U.S. exports to a private company in the energy sector of Russia; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

3048. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Lordsburg and Hurley, New Mexico) [MM Docket No. 98-222 RM-9407] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3049. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Com-

munications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (SHELBY and Dutton, Montana) [MM Docket No. 99-63 RM-9398] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.
3050. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Madison, Indiana) [MM Docket No. 98-105 RM-9295] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3051. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.606(b), Table of Allotments, TV Broadcast Stations. (El Dorado and Camden, Arkansas) [MM Docket No. 99-45 RM-9401] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3052. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Giddings and Buda, Texas) [MM Docket No. 99-69 RM-9468] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3053. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Fiscal Year 1996 report on the administration of the Maternal and Child Health Program; to the Committee on Commerce.

3054. A letter from the Under Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting notification that the Department of Commerce, in consultation with the Department of State, is imposing on the Portuguese Colony of Macau certain foreign policy-based export controls; to the Committee on International Relations.

3055. A letter from the Ambassador, Embassy of the State of Qatar, transmitting a letter from Mr. Mohamed bin Mubarak Al-Kholiefi, Speaker of the Advisory Council of the State of Qatar; to the Committee on International Relations.

3056. A letter from the Executive Director, District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority, transmitting a Resolution and Order Approving Fiscal Year 2000 Financial Plan and Budget; to the Committee on Government Reform.

3057. A letter from the Secretary, Judicial Conference of the United States, transmitting the Biennial Survey of Article III Judgeship Needs in the U.S. courts of appeals and the U.S. district courts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3058. A letter from the Office of the Attorney General, transmitting a report containing a recommendation for continuing authorization of the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3059. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dassault Model 2000, 900EX, and Mystere Falcon 900 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 99-NM-63-AD; Amendment 39-11218; AD 99-14-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3060. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on participation, assignment, and amounts of extra billing in the Medicare program; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

¶78.3 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with an amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 2465. An Act making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendment to the bill (H.R. 2465) "An Act making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes," requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and appoints Mr. BURNS, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. KYL, Mr. STEVENS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. REID, Mr. INOUE, and Mr. BYRD, to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title in which concurrence of the House is requested.

S. 604. An Act to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to complete a land exchange with Georgia Power Company.

¶78.4 UNFINISHED BUSINESS—APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HEFLEY, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced the unfinished business to be the question on agreeing to the Chair's approval of the Journal of Wednesday, July 14, 1999.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HEFLEY, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. HAYES objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 6, rule XX, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared	{	Yeas	346
		Nays	53
		Answered present	2

¶78.5 [Roll No. 297]
YEAS—346

Abercrombie	Becerra	Boyd
Ackerman	Bentsen	Brady (PA)
Allen	Bereuter	Brady (TX)
Andrews	Berkley	Brown (FL)
Army	Berman	Brown (OH)
Bachus	Berry	Bryant
Baird	Biggert	Burton
Baker	Bishop	Buyer
Baldacci	Blagojevich	Callahan
Ballenger	Bliley	Calvert
Barcia	Blumenauer	Camp
Barr	Blunt	Campbell
Barrett (NE)	Boehlert	Canady
Barrett (WI)	Boehner	Cannon
Bartlett	Bonilla	Capps
Barton	Bono	Cardin
Bass	Boswell	Castle
Bateman	Boucher	Chabot

Chambliss	Istook	Pitts
Clayton	Jackson (IL)	Pomeroy
Clement	Jackson-Lee	Portman
Coble	(TX)	Price (NC)
Coburn	Jefferson	Pryce (OH)
Collins	Jenkins	Quinn
Combest	Johnson	Radanovich
Condit	Johnson, E. B.	Rahall
Conyers	Johnson, Sam	Rangel
Cook	Jones (NC)	Reyes
Cooksey	Kanjorski	Reynolds
Cox	Kaptur	Riley
Coyne	Kelly	Rodriguez
Cramer	Kildee	Roemer
Crowley	Kilpatrick	Rogers
Cubin	Kind (WI)	Rohrabacher
Cunningham	King (NY)	Ros-Lehtinen
Danner	Kingston	Rothman
Davis (FL)	Klecza	Roukema
Davis (IL)	Klink	Roybal-Allard
Davis (VA)	Knollenberg	Royce
Deal	Kolbe	Ryan (WI)
DeGette	Kuykendall	Salmon
DeLauro	LaHood	Sanchez
DeLay	Lampson	Sanders
DeMint	Lantos	Sandlin
Deutsch	Largent	Sanford
Diaz-Balart	Larson	Sawyer
Dickey	LaTourrette	Saxton
Dicks	Lazio	Scarborough
Doggett	Leach	Schakowsky
Dooley	Lee	Scott
Doolittle	Levin	Sensenbrenner
Doyle	Lewis (GA)	Serrano
Dreier	Lewis (KY)	Sessions
Duncan	Linder	Shadegg
Dunn	Lipinski	Shaw
Edwards	Lofgren	Shays
Ehlers	Lowey	Sherman
Ehrlich	Lucas (KY)	Sherwood
Emerson	Lucas (OK)	Shimkus
Engel	Luther	Shows
Eshoo	Maloney (CT)	Shuster
Etheridge	Maloney (NY)	Simpson
Evans	Manzullo	Sisisky
Everett	Markey	Skeen
Ewing	Martinez	Skelton
Farr	Mascara	Smith (MI)
Fletcher	Matsui	Smith (NJ)
Foley	McCarthy (MO)	Smith (TX)
Forbes	McCarthy (NY)	Smith (WA)
Ford	McCollum	Snyder
Fossella	McCrery	Souder
Fowler	McHugh	Spence
Frank (MA)	McInnis	Spratt
Franks (NJ)	McIntosh	Stark
Frelinghuysen	McIntyre	Stearns
Galleghy	McKeon	Stenholm
Ganske	Meehan	Stump
Gejdenson	Meeks (NY)	Stupak
Gekas	Menendez	Sununu
Gilchrest	Metcalfe	Talent
Gilman	Mica	Tauscher
Gonzalez	Millender-McDonald	Tauzin
Goode	Miller (FL)	Taylor (NC)
Goodlatte	Miller, Gary	Terry
Goodling	Minge	Thomas
Gordon	Mink	Thornberry
Goss	Moakley	Thune
Graham	Mollohan	Tiahrt
Granger	Moore	Tierney
Green (TX)	Moran (VA)	Toomey
Green (WI)	Morella	Towns
Greenwood	Murtha	Traficant
Hall (OH)	Myrick	Turner
Hall (TX)	Nadler	Upton
Hansen	Napolitano	Velazquez
Hastings (FL)	Nethercutt	Vento
Hastings (WA)	Ney	Vitter
Hayes	Northup	Walden
Hayworth	Norwood	Walsh
Hefley	Nussle	Wamp
Herger	Obey	Watkins
Hill (IN)	Olver	Watt (NC)
Hinojosa	Ortiz	Waxman
Hobson	Ose	Weiner
Hoeffel	Owens	Weldon (FL)
Hoekstra	Oxley	Wexler
Holden	Packard	Weygand
Holt	Pascrell	Whitfield
Hoolley	Paul	Wicker
Horn	Payne	Wilson
Hostettler	Pease	Wise
Houghton	Pelosi	Wolf
Hoyer	Peterson (PA)	Woolsey
Hyde	Petri	Wynn
Inslee	Pickering	Young (AK)
Isakson		Young (FL)

NAYS—53

Aderholt	Hilliard	Ramstad
Bilbray	Hinchey	Rogan
Bilirakis	Hulshof	Sabo
Bonior	Hutchinson	Schaffer
Borski	Kucinich	Slaughter
Clay	LaFalce	Strickland
Clyburn	LoBiondo	Sweeney
Costello	McGovern	Tanner
Crane	McKinney	Taylor (MS)
DeFazio	Moran (KS)	Thompson (CA)
Fattah	Neal	Thompson (MS)
Filner	Oberstar	Udall (CO)
Gephardt	Pallone	Udall (NM)
Gibbons	Pastor	Visclosky
Gillmor	Peterson (MN)	Waters
Gutknecht	Phelps	Weller
Hill (MT)	Pickett	Wu
Hilleary	Pombo	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—2

Carson	Tancredo
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NOT VOTING—33

Archer	Frost	Meek (FL)
Baldwin	Gutierrez	Miller, George
Brown (CA)	Hunter	Porter
Burr	Johnson (CT)	Regula
Capuano	Jones (OH)	Rivers
Chenoweth	Kasich	Rush
Cummings	Kennedy	Ryun (KS)
Delahunt	Latham	Stabenow
Dingell	Lewis (CA)	Thurman
Dixon	McDermott	Watts (OK)
English	McNulty	Weldon (PA)

So the Journal was approved.

¶78.6 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 1691

Mrs. MYRICK, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 245):

Resolved, That upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order without intervention of any point of order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 1691) to protect religious liberty. The bill shall be considered as read for amendment. The amendment recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill, as amended, and on any further amendment thereto to final passage without intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate on the bill, as amended, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary; (2) a further amendment printed in the Congressional Record pursuant to clause 8 of rule XVIII, if offered by Representative Conyers of Michigan or his designee, which shall be considered as read and shall be separately debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent; and (3) one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mrs. MYRICK, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶78.7 RELIGIOUS LIBERTY PROTECTION

Mr. CANADY, pursuant to House Resolution 245, called up the bill (H.R. 1691) to protect religious liberty.

When said bill was considered and read twice.

After debate,

Pursuant to House Resolution 245, the following amendment in the nature